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In response to the Office Action of May 16, 2006, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application.

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